(c) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(d) what are the details of the action taken to check the faults and to find the cause for such sickness?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) Yes, Sir. Some Lady Telephone Operators felt sick on 21st, the Assistant Engineer actually felt sick on 22nd January, 1987.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) From 8th January to 2nd March, 1987, fifty five officials felt uneasy or sick of varying degrees. Three lady telephone operators and one Assistant Engineer were hospitalised for treatment/observation.

(d) A team of technical experts from Department of Telecommunications and an expert from Australia made a thorough check and carried out investigations and it was found that there was nothing seriously electrically or accoustically wrong in the installations.

Over bridge at Theni Railway level crossing in Tamil Nadu

1689. SHRI R. T. GOPALAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state;

(a) what steps Government are taking to construct an over bridge at the Theni railway level crossing in the Theni Dindugal Road in Tamil Nadu; and

(b) if so, by when the work is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Proposals for such works are required to be sponsored by the State Government. Government of Tamil Nadu has not so far sponsored any proposal for a road over bridge at Theni.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.

Recognition of Medical Colleges charging capitation fee

1690. SHRI ALADI ARUNA *alias* V. ARUNACHALAM: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state the names of Medical colleges under the system of capitation fee which have been approved by the Medical Council of India?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): The following medical colleges whose qualqification have been recognised by the Medical Council of India are charging capitation fee :

1. JJM Medical College, Davangore, Karnataka.

2. Kasturba Medical College, Manipal/Bangalore, Karnataka.

3. JLN Medical College, Belgaum, Karnataka.

4. MR Medical College, Gulbarga, Karnataka.

5. 11 seats in Dayanand Medical College, Ludhiana, Punjab.

Telephone Exchanges in Kutch District of Gujarat

1691. SHRI RAOOF VALIULLAH : Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state :

(a) the number and type of telephone exchanges in Kutch District of Gujarat;

(b) the number of telephone lines attached to these exchanges;

(c) the steps taken by Government to install additional exchanges and or expanding the existing ones in view of the fact that no new connections are available in some exchanges; and

(d) the steps taken to improve telecom. facility in Kutch District including

the details of proposals for upgradation and conversion of telephone system?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI SANTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) and (b). The information is given at Statement—I (*See* below).

(c) The Government has Plans for additional exchanges and expansion of existing ones wherever required subject to the availability of financial and material resources.

(d) The information is given at Statement—II (See below) :

Statement-I

Number and types of exchanges

Type	Exchanges	Total No. of lines
PRX (Electronic)	1	3000
MAX II (Automatic)	4	1400
MAX III (Automatic)	48	1940
CBM (Manual)	2	2760
CBNM (Manual)	6	770
TOTAL	61	9780

Statement-II

Upgradation Conversion proposals in Kutch during 7th Plan subject to financial viability of the proposal and availability of Store

I. There are proposals to add 4000L exchange lines in Kutch District.

II. Besides foll wing transmission systems are planned to improve telecom facility:

1. Gandhidham-Bhuj wideband Microwave system.
2. Bhuj-Kutch Mandvi-Narrowband Microwave system.
3. Gandhidham-Anjer UHF system.
4. Kandla Gandhidham PCM y tem
5. Gandhidham-Anjer PCM system
6. Kandla Sumrasan-Single Channel VHF system
7. Gandhidham-Navlakhi Single Channel VHF system
8. Mundra-Kutch-Openwire carrier system
9. Mandvi-Gandhidham — Openwire carrier system
10. Radhanpur-Anjer — Do.
11. Ambhy-Kutch — Do.
12. Bhuj-Nakhatrana — Do.
13. Bhuj-Mundra — Do.

VFT Systems — VPT System

14. Anjer-Ahmedabad

15.	Bhuj-Kandla	VFT system
16.	Gandhidham-Bombay	Do.
17.	Bhuj Ahmebadad	Do.
18.	Gandhidham -Ahmedabad	Do.
19.	Ghandhidham-Bhuj	Do
20.	Kandla-Bombay	Do,
21.	Bhuj-Rajkot	Speech cum telegraph system
22.	Gandhidham-Bombay	Do.
23.	Bhuj-Bombay	Do.
24.	Gandhidham Kandla	Do.
25.	Bhuj-Naliya	Do.
26.	Gandhidham—Anjeer	Do.

Common Recruitment Rule for the post of Assistant Commissioners of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan

1692. SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Vice-Chairman of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan suggested in February, 1986 that his two subordinate officers should study and report on the feasibility of having common Recruitment Rules for different sets of post of Assistant Commissioners of Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan;

(b) whether the two concerned officers have undertaken the said study;

(c) if so, what is the gist of the recommendations made by the study-team; and

(d) if no study has been made what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE AND IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) Yes, Sir. An exercise was undertaken by the Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan and the Ministry to see whether it is desirble to have common recruitment rules for posts which have separate recruitment rules at present. This exercise covered the various posts of Assistant Commissioners also.

(b) to (d) Yes, Sir. The Committee has reviewed the Recruitment Rules. However a final decision has not been taken yet.

Transfer policy of teachers of Kendriya Vidyalayas

1693. SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR:
SHRI ASHOK NATH VERMA:
SHRI M. S. GURUPADASWAMY:
SHRI B. SATYANARAYAN REDDY:
SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to refer to the reply to Unstarred Question 2077 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 13th August, 1986 and state:

(a) whether it is a fact that policy governing the transfers of teachers of Kendria Vidyalayas has been followed in its breach as alleged in a newitems apearing in the Nav Bharat Times (Mahanagar edition, Delhi) dated the 18th December; and